

Daily Digest

Senate

Chamber Action

Routine Proceedings, pages S10895–S19049

Measures Introduced: Four bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 3228–3231, S.J. Res. 55, S. Res. 381–382, and S. Con. Res. 155.

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Measures Passed:

United States Mint Numismatic Coin Clarification Act: Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 5273, to clarify the intention of the Congress with regard to the authority of the United States Mint to produce numismatic coins, and the bill was then passed, clearing the measure for the President.

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Robert S. Walker Post Office: Committee on Governmental Affairs was discharged from further consideration of S. 3194, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 431 George Street in Millersville, Pennsylvania, as the “Robert S. Walker Post Office”, and the bill was then passed.

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Judge Harry Augustus Cole Post Office Building: Committee on Governmental Affairs was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 4450, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 900 East Fayette Street in Baltimore, Maryland, as the “Judge Harry Augustus Cole Post Office Building”, and the bill was then passed, clearing the measure for the President.

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Frederick L. Dewberry, Jr. Post Office Building: Committee on Governmental Affairs was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 4451, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1001 Frederick Road in Baltimore, Maryland, as the “Frederick L. Dewberry, Jr. Post Office Building”, and the bill was then passed, clearing the measure for the President.

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Gertrude A. Barber Post Office Building: Committee on Governmental Affairs was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 4625, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at

2108 East 38th Street in Erie, Pennsylvania, as the “Gertrude A. Barber Post Office Building”, and the bill was then passed, clearing the measure for the President.

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Samuel P. Roberts Post Office Building: Committee on Governmental Affairs was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 4786, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 110 Postal Way in Carrollton, Georgia, as the “Samuel P. Roberts Post Office Building”, and the bill was then passed, clearing the measure for the President.

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Larry Small Post Office Building: Senate passed H.R. 4315, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3695 Green Road in Beachwood, Ohio, as the “Larry Small Post Office Building”, clearing the measure for the President.

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Roberto Clemente Post Office: Senate passed H.R. 4831, to redesignate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 2339 North California Street in Chicago, Illinois, as the “Roberto Clemente Post Office”, clearing the measure for the President.

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Arnold C. D’Amico Station: Senate passed H.R. 4853, to redesignate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 1568 South Glen Road in South Euclid, Ohio, as the “Arnold C. D’Amico Station”, clearing the measure for the President.

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Ruth Harris Coleman Post Office: Senate passed H.R. 5229, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 219 South Church Street in Odum, Georgia, as the “Ruth Harris Coleman Post Office”, clearing the measure for the President.

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Guam Omnibus Opportunities Act: Committee on Energy and Natural Resources was discharged from further consideration of H.R. 2462, to amend the Organic Act of Guam, and the bill was then passed, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

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Smith of N.H. (for Murkowski) Amendment No. 4334, in the nature of a substitute.

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Archbishop Desmond Tutu Commendation: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S. Res. 31, commending Archbishop Desmond Tutu for being a recipient of the Immortal Chaplains Prize for Humanity, and the resolution was then agreed to. **Page S10937**

National Teach For America Week: Senate agreed to S. Res. 381, designating October 16, 2000, to October 20, 2000, as "National Teach For America Week". **Page S10937**

National Children's Memorial Day: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S. Res. 340, designating December 10, 2000, as "National Children's Memorial Day", and the resolution was then agreed to. **Page S10937**

Federal Claims Court Bill Referral: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S. Res. 231, referring S. 1456 entitled "A bill for the relief of Rocco A. Trecosta of Fort Lauderdale, Florida" to the chief judge of the United States Court of Federal Claims for a report thereon, and the resolution was then agreed to. **Pages S10937–38**

Recognizing Bernt Balchen Contributions: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S.J. Res. 36, recognizing the late Bernt Balchen for his many contributions to the United States and a lifetime of remarkable achievements on the centenary of his birth, October 23, 1999, and the resolution was then passed. **Page S10938**

National Survivors of Suicide Day: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S. Res. 339, designating November 18, 2000, as "National Survivors of Suicide Day", and the resolution was then agreed to. **Page S10939**

Democracy Restoration in Peru: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 155, expressing the sense of Congress that the Government of the United States should actively support the aspirations of the democratic political forces in Peru toward an immediate and full restoration of democracy in that country. **Page S10939**

Texas Army National Guard Recognition: Senate agreed to S. Res. 382, recognizing and commending the personnel of the 49th Armored Division of the Texas Army National Guard for their participation and efforts in providing leadership and command and control of the United States sector of the Multinational Stabilization Force in Tuzla, Bosnia-Herzegovina. **Pages S10939–40**

Korczak Ziolkowski Commemorative Postage Stamp: Committee on Governmental Affairs was discharged from further consideration of S. Res. 371,

expressing the sense of the Senate that a commemorative postage stamp should be issued to honor sculptor Korczak Ziolkowski and the Crazy Horse Memorial, and the resolution was then agreed to, after agreeing to the following amendments proposed thereto: **Pages S10940–41**

Smith of N.H. (for Daschle) Amendment No. 4335, to make certain modifications. **Page S10940**

Smith of N.H. (for Daschle) Amendment No. 4336, to make certain modifications. **Page S10940**

Smith of N.H. (for Daschle) Amendment No. 4337, to amend the title. **Page S10940**

Protecting Seniors From Fraud Act: Committee on the Judiciary was discharged from further consideration of S. 3164, to protect seniors from fraud, and the bill was then passed. **Pages S10941–42**

Retired Military Working Dogs Protection: Senate passed H.R. 5314, to require the immediate termination of the Department of Defense practice of euthanizing military working dogs at the end of their useful working life and to facilitate the adoption of retired military working dogs by law enforcement agencies, former handlers of these dogs, and other persons capable of caring for these dogs, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto: **Pages S10942–43**

Smith of N.H. (for Robb) Amendment No. 4338, in the nature of a substitute. **Pages S10942–43**

2001 Electoral Vote Count Date Change: Senate passed S.J. Res. 55, to change the date for counting the electoral votes in 2001. **Page S10943**

Afghanistan Representative Government Reestablishment: Committee on Foreign Relations was discharged from further consideration of S. Con. Res. 150, relating to the reestablishment of representative government in Afghanistan, and the resolution was then agreed to. **Page S10943**

Small Watershed Rehabilitation Act: Senate passed S. 1762, to amend the Watershed Protection and Flood Prevention Act to authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to provide cost share assistance for the rehabilitation of structural measures constructed as part of water resources projects previously funded by the Secretary under such Act or related laws, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto: **Pages S10943–44**

Smith of N.H. (for Harkin) Amendment No. 4339, to make certain technical corrections. **Page S10943**

Health Risk Commodities Removal: Senate passed S. 3230, to reauthorize the authority for the Secretary of Agriculture to pay costs associated with removal of commodities that pose a health or safety

risk and to make adjustments to certain child nutrition programs. **Pages S10946–47**

Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act Amendment: Senate passed S. 2811, to amend the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development Act to make communities with high levels of out-migration or population loss eligible for community facilities grants. **Page S10947**

Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe Equitable Compensation Act: Senate concurred in the amendment of the House to S. 964, to provide for equitable compensation for the Cheyenne River Sioux Tribe, clearing the measure for the President. **Pages S10896–99**

U.S. Grain Standards Authorization: Senate concurred in the amendment of the House to the Senate amendment to H.R. 4788, to amend the United States Grain Standards Act to extend the authority of the Secretary of Agriculture to collect fees to cover the cost of services performed under the Act, to extend the authorization of appropriations for the Act, and to improve the administration of the Act, clearing the measure for the President. **Pages S10944–46**

Appointment:

NATO Parliamentary Assembly: The Chair, on behalf of the Vice President, in accordance with 22 U.S.C. 1928a–1928d, as amended, appointed Senator Chafee as a member of the Senate Delegation to the NATO Parliamentary Assembly during the Second Session of the 106th Congress, to be held in Berlin, Germany, November 17–22, 2000. **Page S10934**

Nominations Confirmed: Senate confirmed the following nominations:

Gerald M. Shea, of the District of Columbia, to be a Member of the Social Security Advisory Board for a term expiring September 30, 2004. (Reappointment)

Troy Hamilton Cribb, of the District of Columbia, to be an Assistant Secretary of Commerce.

Joel Gerber, of Virginia, to be a Judge of the United States Tax Court for a term of fifteen years after he takes office. (Reappointment)

Stephen J. Swift, of Virginia, to be a Judge of the United States Tax Court for a term of fifteen years after he takes office. (Reappointment)

John L. Palmer, of New York, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Federal Old-Age and Survivors Insurance Trust Fund and the Federal Disability Insurance Trust Fund for a term of four years.

Thomas R. Saving, of Texas, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Federal Old-Age and Survivors Insurance Trust Fund and the Federal Disability Insurance Trust Fund for a term of four years.

John L. Palmer, of New York, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Federal Supplementary Medical Insurance Trust Fund for a term of four years.

Thomas R. Saving, of Texas, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Federal Supplementary Medical Insurance Trust Fund for a term of four years.

John L. Palmer, of New York, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Federal Hospital Insurance Trust Fund for a term of four years.

Thomas R. Saving, of Texas, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Federal Hospital Insurance Trust Fund for a term of four years.

Mark A. Weinberger, of Maryland, to be a Member of the Social Security Advisory Board for a term expiring September 30, 2006.

3 Army nominations in the rank of general.

9 Coast Guard nominations in the rank of admiral.

Routine lists in the Army, Coast Guard.

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Recess: Senate convened at 3:02 p.m., and recessed at 6:06 p.m., until 11 a.m., on Wednesday, October 25, 2000. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S10948.)

Committee Meetings

No committee meetings were held.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 11 public bills, H.R. 5526–5536; and 11 resolutions, H.J. Res. 115–120, H. Con. Res. 434–435, and H. Res. 644–645, 649, were introduced.
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Reports Filed: Reports were filed today as follows.

Conference report on S. 835, to encourage the restoration of estuary habitat through more efficient project financing and enhanced coordination of Federal and non-Federal restoration programs (H. Rept. 106–995);

H.R. 4857, to amend the Social Security Act to enhance privacy protections for individuals, to prevent fraudulent misuse of the Social Security account number, and to provide additional safeguards for Social Security and Supplemental Security Income beneficiaries with representative payees, amended (H. Rept. 106–996, Pt. 1);

Conference report on H.R. 4811, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001 (H. Rept. 106–997);

H. Res. 646, providing for consideration of House Joint Resolutions 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, and 120, each making further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 2001 (H. Rept. 106–998);

H. Res. 647, waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany H.R. 4811, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001 (H. Rept. 106–999); and

H. Res. 648, waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany S. 835, to encourage the restoration of estuary habitat through more efficient project financing and enhanced coordination of Federal and non-Federal restoration programs (H. Rept. 106–1000).

Pages H10537–50, H10759–90, H10807–08

Recess: The House recessed at 10:44 a.m. and reconvened at noon.
Page H10537

Suspensions: The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures:

Chimpanzee Health Improvement, Maintenance and Protection: H.R. 3514, amended, to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide for a system of sanctuaries for chimpanzees that have been designated as being no longer needed in research conducted or supported by the Public Health Service;

Pages H10550–54

Extension of Energy Conservation Programs: Agreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 2884, to extend energy conservation programs under the Energy Policy and Conservation Act through fiscal year 2003—clearing the measure for the President;

Pages H10554–65

Morgan Station Postal Facility: H.R. 5143, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 3160 Irvin Cobb Drive, in Paducah, Kentucky, as the 'Morgan Station';

Pages H10565–66

Tim Lee Carter Post Office Building: H.R. 5144, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 203 West Paige Street, in Tompkinsville, Kentucky, as the 'Tim Lee Carter Post Office Building';

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Marjory Williams Scrivens Post Office: H.R. 5068, to designate the facility of the United States Postal Service located at 5927 Southwest 70th Street in Miami, Florida, as the 'Marjory Williams Scrivens Post Office';

Pages H10566–67

Italian-American Heritage Month: H. Res. 347, expressing the sense of the House of Representatives in support of 'Italian-American Heritage Month' and recognizing the contributions of Italian Americans to the United States;

Pages H10567–69

Coastal Barrier Resources Reauthorization Act: S. 1752, to reauthorize and amend the Coastal Barrier Resources Act—clearing the measure for the President;

Pages H10569–70, H10702

Palmetto Bend Conveyance Act: S. 1474, providing conveyance of the Palmetto Bend project to the State of Texas—clearing the measure for the President;

Pages H10570–71, H10702

Liberty Memorial in Kansas City, Missouri: S. Con. Res. 114, recognizing the Liberty Memorial in Kansas City, Missouri, as a national World War I symbol honoring those who defended liberty and our country through service in World War I;

Pages H10571–72, H10702

Recovering Costs of Rescues at Denali National Park of Alaska: S. 698, to review the suitability and feasibility of recovering costs of high altitude rescues at Denali National Park and Preserve in the State of Alaska—clearing the measure for the President.

Pages H10572–73, H10702

National Law Enforcement Museum: S. 1438, to establish the National Law Enforcement Museum on

Federal land in the District of Columbia—clearing the measure for the President.

Pages H10573–74, H10702

Relocation of Hamilton Grange: H.R. 5478, to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire by donation suitable land to serve as the new location for the home of Alexander Hamilton, commonly known as the Hamilton Grange, and to authorize the relocation of the Hamilton Grange to the acquired land;

Pages H10574, H10702–03

California Trail Interpretive Center in Elko, Nevada: S. 2749, amended, to establish the California Trail Interpretive Center in Elko, Nevada, to facilitate the interpretation of the history of development and use of trails in the setting of the western portion of the United States. Agreed to amend the title;

Pages H10574–77, H10703

Computer Security Enhancement: H.R. 2413, amended, to amend the National Institute of Standards and Technology Act to enhance the ability of the National Institute of Standards and Technology to improve computer security;

Pages H10506–10, H10708

American Museum of Science and Energy: H.R. 4940, amended, to designate the museum operated by the Secretary of Energy in Oak Ridge, Tennessee, as the ‘American Museum of Science and Energy;

Pages H10622–27, H10708

Wartime Violation of Italian American Civil Liberties: Agreed to the Senate amendments to H.R. 2442, to provide for the preparation of a Government report detailing injustices suffered by Italian Americans during World War II, and a formal acknowledgment of such injustices by the President—clearing the measure for the President;

Pages H10627–29

Merit Systems Protection Board Administrative Dispute Resolution: H.R. 3312, amended, to clarify the Administrative Dispute Resolution Act of 1996 to authorize the Merit Systems Protection Board to establish under such Act a 3-year pilot program that will provide a voluntary early intervention alternative dispute resolution process to assist Federal agencies and employees in resolving certain personnel actions and disputes in administrative programs. Agreed to amend the title;

Pages H10629–32

Tax Equity for Mariners: S. 893, to amend title 46, United States Code, to provide equitable treatment with respect to State and local income taxes for certain individuals who perform duties on vessels—clearing the measure for the President;

Pages H10632–34

Implementation of the Amber Plan to Recover Abducted Children: H. Res. 605, expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that communities should implement the Amber Plan to expedite the recovery of abducted children;

Pages H10634–36

Pilot Grant Program for Mentally Ill Offenders: S. 1865, to provide grants to establish demonstration mental health courts—clearing the measure for the President;

Pages H10636–40, H10708–09

Sudan Humanitarian Relief and Peace: S. 1453, amended, to facilitate relief efforts and a comprehensive solution to the war in Sudan;

Pages H10640–43, H10709

Condemning the Assassination of Father John Kaiser and others in Kenya: H. Con. Res. 410, condemning the assassination of Father John Kaiser and others who worked to promote human rights and justice in the Republic of Kenya. Subsequently, the House agreed to S. Con. Res. 146, a similar Senate concurrent resolution that calls for a thorough investigation, a progress report on the investigation to be submitted to Congress by December 15, 2000, and a final report to be made public. H. Con. Res. 410 was then laid on the table.

Pages H10643–44

Restoration of Human Rights and Representative Government in Afghanistan: H. Con. Res. 414, amended, relating to the reestablishment of representative government in Afghanistan (agreed to by a ye and nay vote of 381 yeas with none voting nay, Roll No. 542);

Pages H10644–46, H10701

Manufactured Housing Improvement: S. 1452, amended, to modernize the requirements under the National Manufactured Housing Construction and Safety Standards of 1974 and to establish a balanced consensus process for the development, revision, and interpretation of Federal construction and safety standards for manufactured homes. Agreed to amend the title;

Pages H10655–90

Financial Contract Netting Improvement: H.R. 1161, amended, to revise the banking and bankruptcy insolvency laws with respect to the termination and netting of financial contracts,

Pages H10690–98

Preservation and Public Use of Sites Associated with Harriet Tubman: S. 2345, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a special resource study concerning the preservation and public use of sites associated with Harriet Tubman located in Auburn, New York clearing the measure for the President;

Pages H10717–18

National Marine Sanctuaries Amendments: S. 1482, to amend the National Marine Sanctuaries Act clearing the measure for the President;

Pages H10718–21

Pyramid of Remembrance Foundation Memorial for Armed Service Members Killed in Training Peacekeeping and Humanitarian Efforts: H.R. 1804, to authorize the Pyramid of Remembrance Foundation to establish a memorial in the District of Columbia or its environs to soldiers who have lost their lives during peacekeeping operations, humanitarian efforts, training, terrorist attacks, or covert operations;

Pages H10721–22

Reclamation and Reuse of Water and Wastewater in Hawaii: S. 1694, amended, to direct the Secretary of the Interior to conduct a study on the reclamation and reuse of water and wastewater in the State of Hawaii. Agreed to amend the title;

Pages H10722–26

Ala Kahakai National Historic Trail: S. 700, to amend the National Trails System Act to designate the Ala Kahakai Trail as a National Historic Trail clearing the measure for the President;

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Hawaii Volcanoes National Park: S. 938, to eliminate restrictions on the acquisition of certain land contiguous to Hawaii Volcanoes National Park clearing the measure for the President;

Pages H10726–27

Miscellaneous Trade and Technical Corrections: H. Res. 644, providing for the concurrence by the House, with an amendment, in the amendment of the Senate to H.R. 4868, to amend the Harmonized Tariff Schedule of the United States to modify temporarily certain rates of duty, to make other technical amendments to the trade laws;

Pages H10727–54

Suspensions—Proceedings Postponed: The House completed debate on the following motions to suspend the rules. Further proceedings on the motions were postponed.

Erie Canalway National Heritage Corridor: H.R. 5375, amended, to establish the Erie Canalway National Heritage Corridor in the State of New York;

Pages H10577–81, H10703

Older Americans Act Amendments: H.R. 782, amended, to amend the Older Americans Act of 1965 to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 2000 through 2003;

Pages H10581–H10606

Violence in the Middle East: H. Con. Res. 426, concerning the violence in the Middle East; and

Pages H10646–55

Great Sand Dunes National Preserve in the State of Colorado: S. 2547, to provide for the establishment of the Great Sand Dunes National Park and

the Great Sand Dunes National Preserve in the State of Colorado clearing the measure for the President.

Pages H10709–17

Suspension Failed—National Science Education: The House failed to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 4271, amended, to establish and expand programs relating to science, mathematics, engineering, and technology education (failed to pass by a ye and nay vote of 215 yeas to 156 nays with 4 voting “present”, Roll No. 543).

Pages H10610–22, H10701–02

Conveyance of Land to the Washoe County School District, Nevada: The House passed H.R. 4656, to authorize the Forest Service to convey certain lands in the Lake Tahoe Basin to the Washoe County School District for use as an elementary school site. Earlier agreed to H. Res. 634, the rule that is providing for consideration of the bill by a ye and nay vote of 196 yeas to 181 nays, Roll No. 541.

Pages H10698–H10701, H10705–08

Bring Them Home Alive Act: The House passed S. 484, to provide for the granting of refugee status in the United States to nationals of certain foreign countries in which American Vietnam War POW/MIAs or American Korean War POW/MIAs may be present, if those nationals assist in the return to the United States of those POW/MIAs alive clearing the measure for the President.

Pages H10703–04

Persian Gulf Evacuees Relief: Agreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 3646, for the relief of certain Persian Gulf evacuees clearing the measure for the President.

Pages H10704–05

Recognition for Slave Laborers Who Worked on U.S. Capitol Construction: The House agreed to S. Con. Res. 130, establishing a special task force to recommend an appropriate recognition for the slave laborers who worked on the construction of the United States Capitol.

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United States Capitol Publication: The House agreed to S. Con. Res. 141, to authorize the printing of copies of the publication entitled “The United States Capitol” as a Senate document.

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Herbert H. Bateman Educational and Administrative Center, Chincoteague, Virginia: The House passed H.R. 5388, to designate a building proposed to be located within the boundaries of the Chincoteague National Wildlife Refuge, as the “Herbert H. Bateman Educational and Administrative Center.”

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Saint Helena Island National Scenic Area, Michigan: The House agreed to the Senate amendment to H.R. 468, to establish the Saint Helena Island National Scenic Area clearing the measure for the President.

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Returning the Bear Protection Act to the Senate: The House agreed to H. Res. 645, returning to the Senate the bill S. 1109, Bear Protection Act.

Pages H10754–55

Senate Messages: Message received from the Senate appears on pages H10535–36.

Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yea and nay votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages H10700, H10701, and H10701–02. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: The House met at 10:30 a.m. and adjourned at 11:55 p.m.

Committee Meetings

CONFERENCE REPORT—FOREIGN OPERATIONS APPROPRIATIONS ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted, by voice vote, a rule waiving all points of order against the conference report to accompany H.R. 4811, making appropriations for foreign operations, export financing, and related programs for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2001, and against its consideration. The rule provides that the conference report shall be considered as read.

Testimony was heard from Representatives Calahan and Pelosi.

CONFERENCE REPORT—ESTUARIES AND CLEAN WATERS ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted, by voice vote, a rule waiving all points of order against the conference report to accompany S. 835, to encourage the restoration of estuary habitat through more efficient project financing and enhanced coordination of Federal and non-Federal restoration programs, and against its consideration. The rule provides that the conference report shall be considered as read.

MAKING FURTHER CONTINUING APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Rules: Granted, by voice vote, a rule providing for consideration of each joint resolution H.J. Res. 115, H.J. Res. 116, H.J. Res. 117, H.J. Res. 118, H.J. Res. 119, and H.J. Res. 120, making further continuing appropriations for the fiscal year 2001, under separate closed rules. The rule waives all points of order against consideration of each joint resolution. The rule provides one hour of debate in the House on each joint resolution equally divided and controlled by the chairman and ranking minority member of the Committee on Appropriations. The rule provides one motion to recommit each joint resolution.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2000

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

Committee on Armed Services: to resume hearings on issues related to the attack on the U.S.S. *Cole*; to be followed by a closed hearing (SH–219), 9 a.m., SH–216.

Committee on Foreign Relations: Subcommittee on European Affairs, with the Subcommittee on Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, to hold joint hearings to examine the Gore and Chernomyrdin diplomacy; to be followed by a closed hearing, 10:30 a.m., SD–419.

House

Committee on Armed Services, hearing on the attack on the U.S.S. *Cole*, 2 p.m., 2118 Rayburn.

Committee on Education and the Workforce, hearing on “Waste, Fraud and Program Implementation at the U.S. Department of Education,” 10:30 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

Next Meeting of the SENATE

11 a.m., Wednesday, October 25

Senate Chamber

Program for Wednesday: After the recognition of two Senators for speeches and the transaction of any morning business (not to extend beyond 12:30 p.m.), Senate will recess until 2:15 p.m. for their respective party conferences; following which, Senate may consider any cleared legislative and executive business, including conference reports, when available.

Next Meeting of the HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

10 a.m., Wednesday, October 25

House Chamber

Program for Wednesday: Consideration of H.J. Res. 115, Making Further Continuing Appropriations (closed rule, one hour of debate);

Conference Report on H.R. 4811, Foreign Operations, Export Financing, and Related Programs Appropriations (rule waving points of order); and

Conference Report on S. 835, Estuary Habitat and Chesapeake Bay Restoration (rule waving points of order)

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